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Applicants:

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Application No.:

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Filing Date:

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Title:

COMPUTER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Art Unit:

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Examiner:

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GAMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

July 16, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 16, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 14, and add new claims 16-19, as follows:

14. (Amended) A device comprising:

a power unit;

means for accepting an instruction for controlling said power unit from a

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